

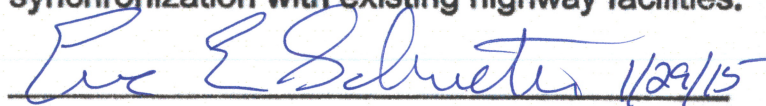


January 23, 2015

Mr. Tom McCloskey
Missouri Department of Transportation
1590 Woodlake Drive
Chesterfield, MO 63017-5712

**RE: Public Interest Finding
Project No. STP-9900(644)
Broadway Avenue Improvements
Herculaneum, Missouri**

I do hereby certify that in accordance with the requirements of 23 CFR 635.411(a)(2), this patented or proprietary item is essential for synchronization with existing highway facilities.


State Design Engineer

Mr. McCloskey:

With reference to the above-mentioned project, we are requesting approval of a finding in the public interest to use the following items:

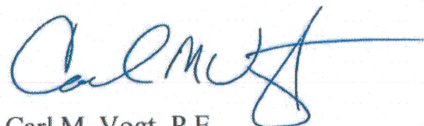
1. Street Light Pole: HCI Lighting – 14' Ornamental Cast Aluminum Fluted Pole
#P440-MOD-5F-14-GFI-BA1-CMX2-RAL9011
2. Decorative Light Luminaire: HCI Lighting – Decorative Post-Top Lantern Style Luminaire
#F144-LMOD-CAC-150HPS-24QT-BR3-PCB

These items were designed with proprietary components in order to insure compatibility with existing City infrastructure. This project is adjacent to a previous project that used these lights (Main Street Improvements, SSTP-5403(634)). It is also in the City's plan to use this light on future projects in the area.

Past field performance has demonstrated that these products are reliable and work well with other system components. They will not differ from the existing City street lighting inventories, thus simplifying supply chain issues, nor will they require additional training of personnel.

Approval of this request would be appreciated so these items may remain eligible for federal reimbursement.

Sincerely,


Carl M. Vogt, P.E.